

ABSTRACT

The invention concerns a cationic catalyst system comprising an initiator (I), a
5 catalyst (K) and a cocatalyst (CoK). The cocatalyst (CoK) is an agent releasing the
active polymerizing center of its counter anion generated by the reaction between
the catalyst (K) and the initiator (I). Said cocatalyst is characterized by the
existence of a double bond electron-depleted by an electroattractive group. It is
selected, for example, from the group consisting of the following complexing
10 agents including o-chloranyl (3,4,5,6-tetrachloro-1,2-benzoquinone), p-chloranyl
(2,3,5,6-tetrachloro-1,4-benzoquinone), nitrobenzene, trinitrobenzene, or
tetracyanoethylene.